Ø 001

JUN 15 2004

PATENT

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:	Hinzpeter et al.
Application No.:	10/090,195
Filed:	March 4, 2002
For:	Apparatus for Singling Out Tablets In a Rotary Tablet-Compressing Press
Examiner:	Kaitlin S. Joerger
Group Art Unit:	3653

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Docket No.: H01.2-10407-US01

TIME: 5:00

**DATE:** June 15, 2004

### FACSIMILE TRANSMITTAL LETTER

TO: Examiner Joerger

FACSIMILE NO.: 703-872-9306

**GROUP ART UNIT: 3653** 

TOTAL NUMBER OF PAGES (including cover letter):

Following please find a \_\_\_\_\_\_ page Amendment in addition to this 1 page Facsimile Transmittal Letter.

If a fee is required, Commissioner of Patents is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 22-0350 for any required fees. To the extent that any petition is required to consider this communication, please treat this as such a petition.

Respectfully Submitted,

VIDAS, ARRETT & STEINKRAUS, P.A.

Date: June 15, 2004

Reg. No. 50,705

6109 Blue Circle Drive, Suite 2000 Minnetonka, MN 55343-9185 Telephone: (952) 563-3000

Facsimile: (952) 563-3001

Certificate of Transmission

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office, Fax No. 703-872-9306, on June 15, 2004.

OFFICIAL

# RECEIVED CENTRAL FAX CENTER

JUN 15 2004

PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Hinzpeter, Schmidt, Gathmann, Preuss, Seifert

Application No.:

10/090195

Filed:

March 4, 2002

For:

Apparatus For Singling Out Tablets in a Rotary

**Tablet-Compressing Press** 

Examiner:

Kaitlin S. Joerger

Group Art Unit:

3653

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Ducket No.: H01.2B-10407-US01

#### **AMENDMENT**

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated March 15, 2004.

If an extension of time is required to make this response timely and no separate petition is enclosed, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time sufficient to make the response timely. In the event that this response requires the payment of government fees and payment is not enclosed, please charge Deposit Account No. 22-0350.

Please amend the application as follows:

The Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

The Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4.

The Amendments to the Drawings begins on page 5.

The Remarks begin on page 6.